

DELITE THEATER
TODAY
Sessue Hayakawa in
"FIVE DAYS TO LIVE"
and a Good Comedy
— WEDNESDAY —
Second Episode of
"BREAKING THROUGH"
and "The Man With Two Mothers"
With Mary Alden, the mother in
"The Old Nest"

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STAR THEATER
— TODAY —
"BREAKING THROUGH"
A powerful serial of Adventure,
Lost Fortune and Love, with Car-
mel Myers and Wallace McDon-
ald. Also
"A WIFE'S AWAKENING"
— WEDNESDAY —
"THE VALLEY OF SILENT MEN"

KELLER WINS POINT IN FIGHT ON DAUGHERTY

HOSIERY MAGNATE TO VISIT HERE IS REPORT

ANNOUNCEMENT OF
DECISION TO PLACE
MILL IN THE SOUTH
IS HAILED WITH JOY

Cooper, Wells and Company Re-
garded As Big Asset To
The Community

LABOR CONDITIONS IN
SOUTH IS THE MAGNATE

Reported Head of Big Concern
Will Tell of Plans
Soon

Announcement in Monday's edi-
tion of The Daily that Albany is prac-
tically assured of a modern new hos-
iery plant today was the subject of
conversation in all business and in-
dustrial circles.

Rumors were current that Mr. Wells
head of the big Cooper Wells and
company, is planning to visit Albany
during December and it is expected
that formal announcement of the
company's plans will be made at the
time.

Stockholders of the company have
voted to increase their capital from
\$500,000 to \$1,000,000, part of the
proceeds from the sale of the new
stock to be used in construction of
a big plant in the South.

Those who have contended for
years that many northern manu-
facturers who depend on high grade tex-
tile labor would find operation in the
South much more profitable cited the
decision of Cooper, Wells and com-
pany as another illustration of their
argument. The dispatches from St.
Joseph, Mich., relating to the story of
the stockholders' decision, stated diffi-
culty had been experienced in get-
ting an ample supply of labor there
and that production had fallen below
the standards desired as a result of
this labor deficit. On the other hand
it was stated, labor conditions at the
Albany "try-out" plant had been
found very satisfactory.

The expected visit of Mr. Wells
to the local plant was looked forward to
eagerly by local business men, to
whom he is well known through pre-
vious visits here. Local people have
been very much impressed with his
executive ability and the establish-
ment of a great hosiery mill here
would receive a joyous welcome from
all business interests of this section.

Business Better In Court Office

The records in the probate office
disclose the fact that more papers
are being filed for record now than
for some time past, indicating that
real estate transfers are quite nume-
rous at this time. The recording of
mortgages during the past year has
fallen off a very appreciable amount,
indicating that the country is more
nearly on a cash basis than for a
long time past. Mortgages which were
usually filed for record in stacks, re-
presenting transactions between the
supply merchants and the farmers, is
smaller than for the past two years.
Since the fall of 1920, this phase of
the county business has taken a new
turn, as merchants the following year
curtailed the credit business largely,
and since that time the farmer has
discovered that he can get along bet-
ter without a program of that kind
from year to year. It is stated in
business circles that this has in-
creased the amount of ready cash the
farmer has, and with this he can make
his purchases based on a cash price.
Supply merchants state that it is
proving agreeable to both, and the
great burden heretofore borne by the
supply merchant has in a great meas-
ure been removed.

Wannamaker Is Dead at 84 Years

Merchant Prince Is
Called to Reward
Early Tuesday

ACTIVE TO LAST
Confined to Phila-
delphia Home Since
Last Month

(Associated Press.)
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—John
Wannamaker died at his home here
at 8 a. m.

The world's famous merchant and
former postmaster general passed
away at his town house 2023 Walnut
street. He had been confined there
since early in November with a heavy
cold, contracted at his country es-
tate Lyndenhurst, at Jenkintown,
near here. He was 84 years old.

Mr. Wannamaker was active in his
business affairs up to the time he
was stricken. He spent much of last
winter in Florida and was in this city
all summer, hard at work, with the
exception of occasional surreceses
from the duties of his office for a
day at the seashore.

He always was an early riser and
usually was at his mercantile estab-



John Wannamaker

lishment before its doors were opened.
Mr. Wannamaker is survived by
his son, Rodman, a resident of New
York City, and two daughters, Mary
B., wife of Barclay H. Warburton,
and Elizabeth, wife of Norman Mc-
Leod, both of Philadelphia.

AMERICAN CONSUL SHOT, HURT IS SLIGHT

(By Associated Press.)

VALLETTA, Malta, Dec. 12.—Mason
Mitchell, of New York, American
consul on the island of Malta, was
shot and slightly wounded today near
Barracca. His assailant escaped, but
pursuit immediately was taken up.

"I know nobody who could have
done this," exclaimed Mr. Mitchell
as assistance came to him.

The consul is described as person-
na grata here and he has taken keen
interest in the welfare of the island
and its people. The attack upon him
has aroused indignation. Mr. Mitchell
has had a picturesque career as an
actor, writer, traveller, soldier and
diplomat.

Mr. Mitchell was only slightly
wounded, the bullet imbedding itself
in his coat. He was taken to his home,
where, this afternoon, he was con-
fined to his bed with the expectation
that he would be about in a day or
so.

The shooting is generally attrib-
uted to a mad-man.

LACK OF ARSENATE FAVORS THE WEEVIL

(Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Lack of
ammunition may interfere seriously
with the war on the cotton boll weevil
next season it was disclosed today
by the geological survey in a
report on the arsenic situation. The
small stocks of calcium arsenate, the
heavy artillery against the weevil,
the rapidly mounting price for that
insecticide and an apparent heavy de-
mand for the opening of the cam-
paign against the pest next spring,
have resulted in a council of war of
the generals in the boll weevil con-
trol war at New York tomorrow.

At a conference with insecticide
manufacturers their experts inter-
ested in the fight on the weevil will
endeavor to find means of increasing
the calcium arsenate supply for next
season.

ALBANY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BY MEMBERS' VOTES FAVORS ONE BODY

Harmony Marks the Meeting of
Local Civic Organization's
Membership

NO DISSENTING VOTE
CAST AGAINST THE PLAN

General Meeting May Be Held
Wednesday Night If De-
catur Approves

With harmony marking every
movement and every speech at the
Albany Chamber of Commerce rooms
last night, it was voted with no dis-
senting voice, that the "Albany-De-
catur Chamber of Commerce" be
formed.

W. W. Rahm, who acted as Secre-
tary at the Chamber meeting last
night, conferred with a member of
the "conference" committee from De-
catur and it became known that the
question of accepting or rejecting the
plan for one civic body would come
up before a meeting tonight in De-
catur.

It was agreed at the meeting of
the Chamber of Commerce last night,
that in the event Decatur people
agreed to the proposed organization,
that an effort be made to hold a gen-
eral meeting Wednesday night for the
purpose of perfecting the organiza-
tion of "The Albany-Decatur Cham-
ber of Commerce."

The meeting last night was called
to order by C. W. Matthews, Vice
President of the Albany Chamber of
Commerce at 7:30 o'clock, and W. W.
Rahm acted as Secretary.

Mr. Matthews, who was a member
of the "conference" committee, arose
and stated that the object of the
meeting about to open, was to hear
the report of the Chamber's Com-
mittee on the advisability of a single
chamber of commerce for Albany and
Decatur, as outlined by the joint com-
mittee from both cities charged with
the duty of making definite sugges-
tions as to the best procedure for
such an enterprise.

The information as to the recom-
mendations of the committee came in
a formal resolution, which was adop-
ted without a dissenting vote and re-
ferred to the meeting to be held in
Decatur tonight.

Cautions Careful Consideration.
The chairman stated that he thought
where such an important matter was
to claim the attention of the Cham-
ber, that before a formal motion was
put there should be an informal dis-
cussion and questions asked and an-
swered, as to the contents of the res-
olution.

Dr. J. L. Gunter, then arose and
asked: "Did harmony prevail in the
committee of the 'conference'?" To
this question a number of the mem-
bers of that body, including the Chair-
man, stated that harmony had pre-
vailed throughout the session of the
committee referred to.

W. N. Chenault, who later put the
important motion, asked a number of
questions as to the construction the
committee put on certain parts of the
resolution.

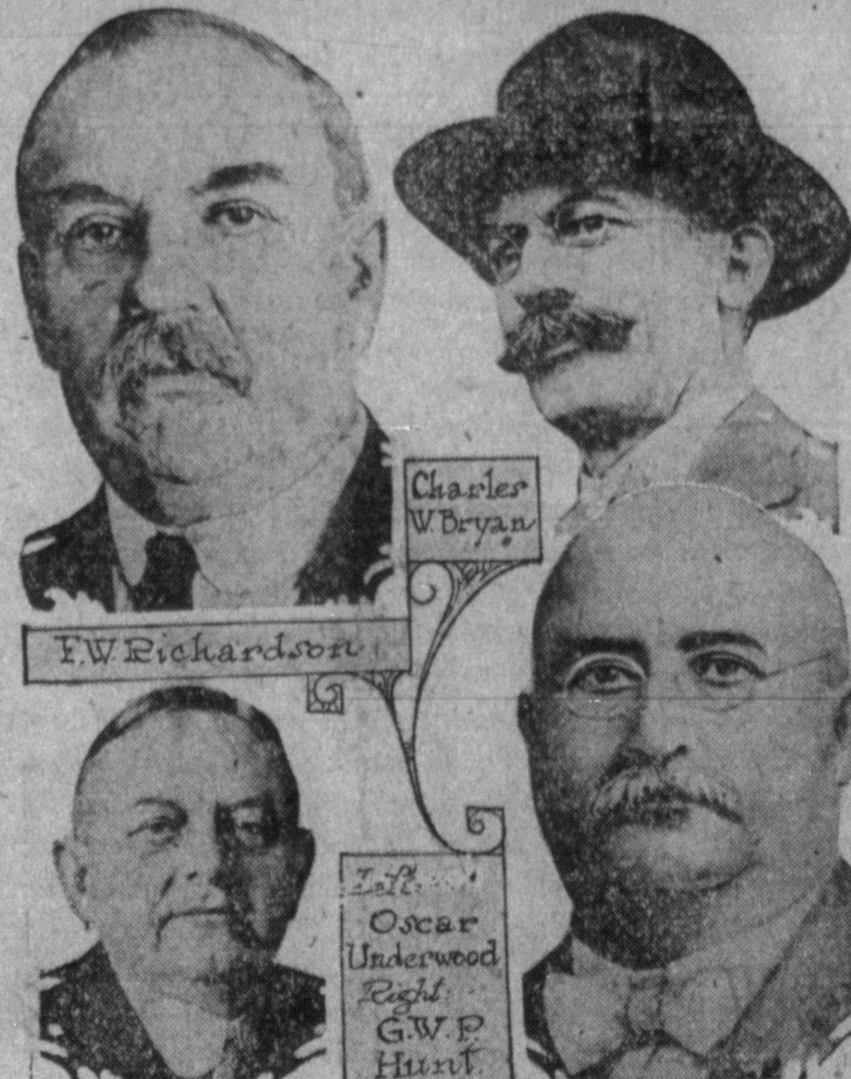
After some further general discus-
sion, Mr. Chenault made the motion
that the findings of the committee
be approved, the committee dis-
missed with thanks, and that the of-
ficers of the Chamber be empowered
to take such steps necessary to per-
fect the "Albany-Decatur Chamber
of Commerce" provided, favorable ac-
tion was taken by Decatur citizens on
the resolution adopted by the Albany
Chamber of Commerce.

Makes A Poll.

Charles Rountree seconded the
motion of Mr. Chenault, and when it
had been put, the Chairman asked:

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Prominent Figures in American Politics



United States Senator Oscar W. Underwood, of Alabama, veteran
member of Congress and leader of the Democratic minority in the Senate,
has announced that his health will not permit him to retain the leadership.
Charles W. Bryan, brother of William Jennings Bryan, has been elected
Democratic Governor of Nebraska. George W. P. Hunt, Democrat, has
been elected Governor of Arizona. Friend W. Richardson, Republican,
has been elected Governor of California.

DETOURS SHOW REAL HEALTH OFFICER WORTH OF THE PIKES

The detours, which of necessity have
been made by the road construction
crews over the county where active
road work is being carried on, since
the rain came, are practically impos-
sible of travel. The detour on the Hart-
selle road is an awful object les-
son as to what the roads of the coun-
ty would be, minus macadam con-
structed pikes. With the increased
travel of pleasure and business mo-
tor vehicles, and the increased hauling
of heavy products to and from the
markets of the county, it would be
impossible to carry on through the
winter months. The detour spoken of
above, is at a point about three miles
east of Hartselle. It is necessary to
leave the pike and go a distance of
three miles. Bad mud holes and ruts
abound, making it practically impos-
sible to make it in any kind of craft,
and this has only been used a few
days, until a fill can be completed.
Business would practically stop along
our public roads through the winter,
but for the pikes. They are the great-
est adjunct a country has, and many
who heretofore have been opposed to
road building, are the loudest in praise
of the better way.

Educational week was continued at
the Albany high school this week,
when this morning, on invitation, Dr.
B. F. Austin, county health officer,
made an address on "Physical Edu-
cation." The speaker gave the follow-
ing as to the object of education—
"Education develops the strength,
health and vigor of all the organs of
the body." The speaker explained that
strength of mind was included in his
statement as the mind is one of the
organs of the body.
The speaker quoted Chief Justice Taft
saying "It may be claimed that care of
the individual and family health is the
first and most important patriotic
duty of a citizen." Dr. Austin said
that business people would say the ob-
ject of education was to increase the
money making ability, that the pleas-
ure loving would say its object was
"happiness," that the ministers would
say its object was to promote moral-
ity, the lovers of self culture, that
education was for self development;
the patriot would say its object was to
make good citizens. The speaker said
all these objects belonged to educa-
tion, and that under no circumstances
should it be omitted, that physical
health was in large measure the basis
of all successful education.

Tennessee River Registers a Rise

The Tennessee river at this point is
registering a rise, the first percepti-
ble rise to come extending over a
period of nearly five months. The river
has registered exceedingly low for
several months, and it is stated that
boats which ply between this point
and Chattanooga, have experienced
difficulty in making the trip. Steam-
boat men hail with delight any per-
ceptible rise in the channel, as it will
afford a gauge of water to make both
up and down river points with regu-
larity.

COLD WAVE HITS AS PER SCHEDULE

Old Boreas bore down out of the
north country today, and the mercury
went scurrying down toward the bot-
tom. Several degrees drop was re-
corded up to noon today, and fore-
cast is for the coldest of the season
by Wednesday.

Christmas is always more real with
wintry weather abounding, and if snow
is present, old and young alike enjoy
the beauty of it. Linked with the
spirit of Christmas there is always
the idea of snow abounding. "Old
Mother Goose is picking her geese," is
a favorite phrase on the tongue's end
of all children when the snow flakes
begin to scurry down, and their glee
and good nature is very apparent.
Quite in contrast are those who think
of the shoes that little feet must wear,
and the clothes which must be provid-
ed for them to keep warm. But there
is always a fond indulgence to the
young, even by him who holds the
purse strings, and they are always just
a little looser on these annual occa-
sions than at any other time.

HOUSE COMMITTEE AGREES TO PROCEED IN MANNER INSISTED ON BY THE ACCUSER

Committee Reverses Position on
Procedure Hearing the
Charges

APPOINTMENTS FIRST
IN THE LINE OF FIRE

Committee Will Hold Hearing on
Other Charges Beginning
Tuesday

(Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—After an
hour and a half of wrangling, the
house judiciary committee voted in
executive session today to proceed
with the hearing of impeachment
charges brought against Attorney
General Daugherty by Representative
Keller, Republican, Minnesota, in the
manner insisted on by Mr. Keller.

The committee previously had de-
cided to hear evidence on the charges
in the order in which they were pre-
sented in Mr. Keller's bill of speci-
fications, but when the hearing opened
the Minnesota representative said
he was not ready to go ahead on that
basis. He asked that the first
charge be taken up be that alleging
the appointment to office by Mr.
Daugherty of men who were "un-
trustworthy, corrupt and dangerous
to the liberties of the people of the
United States," the second charge as
listed for presentation by Mr. Keller
is of "wilful and deliberate failure
and refusal to enforce railroad safety
appliance laws" and the third
that Mr. Daugherty had perverted
the legal processes in instituting in-
junction proceedings against rail-
road workers at Chicago.

Chairman Volstead announced that
after three charges had been heard,
the committee, beginning not later
than next Tuesday, would proceed
with the other charges in order of
their presentation. Three of these
charges dealt with alleged failure to
enforce the anti-trust laws and it was
stated that Samuel Untermyer, of
New York, general counsel for the
Lockwood investigating committee,
would represent Mr. Keller in their
prosecution.

APPROPRIATION BILL REPORTED TUESDAY; RECORD TIME MADE

(Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—In record
breaking time the first annual ap-
propriation bill of the present ses-
sion of congress that for the treas-
ury department was reported to the
senate today by the appropriations
committee, carrying an increase of
\$21,000 over the house total of
\$115,112,000.

The bill was passed last Saturday
by the house.

The senate committee increases
included \$7,500 as salary for an un-
der secretary of the treasury, a po-
sition that the house refused to au-
thorize, the \$300,000 additional for
customs collections and \$10,000 addi-
tional for suppression of counterfeit-
ing.

Appropriations of \$9,000,000 for
prohibition enforcement was not
changed by the senate committee,
which concurred also in the house
provision to supplant 218 plate print-
ers in the bureau of engraving by
installing machine money printers.
For 36 years the plate printers union
had fought the machine success-
fully.

COTTON MARKET. (Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Cotton fu-
tures opened steady, December 24.83;
January 24.80; March 25.05; July
24.80.

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WE FAVOR ACCEPTANCE OF HENRY FORB'S BID FOR MUSCLE SHOALS.

HAPPINESS, NOT DEPENDENT ON MEANS.

Humanity has ever struggled toward the goal of happiness. It spans the years, and reaches out to the future, and plans are made, purposes resolved, all with the purpose in view of reaching the much coveted pinnacle of happiness, only to realize that with the possession of the things which we thought would bring happiness, is a myth, a castle in the air, a bubble which bursts with the first passing zephyr.

Happiness is a mind faculty, which is not dependent on the mere possession of material things for its full realization. Happiness might then be styled contentment, and this does not imply that one must cease from all endeavors, but on the contrary implies activity in the world's labors, each in their sphere, seeking to put the best effort into the several vocations, and thereby fulfill the very spirit of the creation.

A child is contented with a mere toy; a contentment of the supreme kind. As it grows in years, and knowledge with its enlightening force adds to its powers of enjoyment, other things which are more enduring and far reaching engage its attention, and through the channels of right effort, happiness comes in generous portions.

None can escape the fundamental law of the universe, that those who live and enjoy the blessings of today, must build for those of the future. Then the idea comes that through a life of service the best and highest endeavors are directed; building upon the foundations which others have left; adding to the helpful influences which go to bless those who occupy the earth today, would seem then a good program, and results of which taken in its entirety, is the sum total of the best accomplishments left by those who give way to others.

VERILY THESE TWO MEN HAVE THEIR REWARDS.

Reports from France are to the effect that prize boxing is about to be prohibited. Two sensational occurrences are said to have aroused the French against boxing as a public amusement. Lately an African pugilist named Siki has won large sums of money at this trade, and in addition has disgusted the French people with his bad manners. On the heels of this public resentment against Siki, came the news that the great French scientist, Vaillant, had lost his one remaining arm, while experimenting with radium.

The turn of "out-rageous fortune" in favor of the pugilist and apparently against the scientist, is said to be a large contributing cause to the present public resentment against prize-fighting.

The public doubtless has not consulted with the maimed and poverty stricken scientist. He is doubtless reasonably content to be armless while his fellow human being, Siki, is able to win vast sums of money with his mighty arms. The French public seems to think that a great injustice is being allowed, when a person like Siki is allowed to follow a trade that nets him millions, while one of their scientists must live in poverty and armless for practicing his profession, therefore it is seriously proposed that prize-fighting be abolished all together. There is a semblance of justice in the proposed action of the French against boxing; but as the lawyers say "a wrong reason is assigned".

Because Siki stands up against a human antagonist and wins money and a certain kind of fame, with no hurt to himself and because a learned man stands up against all powerful nature in an effort to benefit humanity and gets knocked out are two important circumstances, but they do not warrant the taking away of the freedom of Siki to function as he sees fit, and as the public has

been willing for him to act in the past.

The French public wishes to take "snap judgment" on prize fighting.

No doubt the valiant Vaillant would be the last man in France to wish to deprive pugilist Siki, of his liberty to make a living any way he desires. The scientist has the applause of the thinking world as he retires from his ring of combat. That is enough for him. He may die in poverty, but he will be rich in appreciation.

Veril, Siki has his two arms and his money rewards, and verily Vaillant has his reward an armless body, and poverty, but would the scientist be willing to exchange personalities and places with Siki the African pugilist?

PLAY THE GAME AND NOT JUST WATCH OTHERS.

"A sick body makes a sick mind"; "Play grounds in every community"; "Athletes all", are three of the slogans for the last day's program of Educational week. Despite the many abuses practiced in the name of out-door sports, despite the progress apparently being made toward professionalism in games, it is better to make progress toward more bodily exercise in the open, in a zig-zag, uncertain and in some instances unsportsmanlike way, than to make no progress at all in that direction. The object of the promoters of more out-door exercise is the securing of better health among all the people. It is truly stated that a well mind cannot exist in a sick body. The last expression "athletes all" must mean that all students and all the people should become athletes.

One thing must happen if all the people develop themselves as they should—they must cease to take their exercise and games through others—by proxy, so to speak. No games can be truly called a national pastime unless more people play at them than is the case with our popular games today. Baseball is played by comparatively a very few people. All that the vast majority get out of the "national game" is pleasurable excitement and lots of fresh air—quite a sufficient toll to justify the existence of baseball. A few more people play in a football game than in baseball, but most of the benefits (and injuries) of this sport are enjoyed by a few people. The same is true of lawn tennis, golf, hunting, and a number of other out-door activities. If a game could be invented—a sort of combination of baseball, tennis, football and golf that all the people could and would play, then we would have a national pastime indeed and in truth. The problem of the schools is to get all the pupils to playing, as well as to watch others play. The problem of the general public, is to get a game or a past-time, that large numbers of the general public will play.

The games of today are "spectacles" rather than sports. It is the purpose of the promoters of school athletics to change all this. They plan to have each child in the several school grades, playing games of their own instead of just watching others play.

HATS ON, OR HATS OFF?

A queer thing to get excited about is the question whether men who chance to ride with totally strange women in elevators should remove their hats or keep them on. Yet a lot of persons do get excited about it. For instance, lately when Mayor Kohler of Cleveland announced that he intended to put up signs requesting men not to remove their hats in elevators, some Chicago hotel manager called him a barbarian.

When one attempts to find a rule to guide one in this serious matter one finds that there is none. In the elevators of most Chicago hotels and some department stores men generally remove their hats if there are women among their fellow passengers. Yet they wear their hats in the presence of women in all other places in department stores. And the same men who remove their hats in hotel and department store elevators never think of doing so in office buildings while riding in elevators half filled with women stenographers or clerks.

What is there about an elevator that should require the removal of the hat? As a matter of fact an elevator is virtually as much a public conveyance as a street car and much cheaper to ride in. Yet men do not remove their hats when women enter street cars. The fact that elevators travel a vertical course while street cars go horizontally has hardly account for the difference in the required etiquette.

Undoubtedly Mayor Kohler puts it rather too strongly when he says that "any man who takes off his hat and holds it over his stomach in a crowded elevator takes up too much room and is a public nuisance." But one can easily imagine the probable fate of any rarely polite male who made a practice of taking off his hat to women unknown to him whom he happened to see in street

cars or in any conveyance other than elevators.—From the Chicago News.

Along the county highways from time to time can be seen violation of traffic rules, promulgated by the state highway commission. In some instances it is a loaded wagon, left on the highway over night without any signal lights being there to warn motorists and others from the dangers of a collision. The traffic rules provide that "both head and tail lights shall be displayed upon such obstructions left along the highway, and that no obstruction must remain on a thoroughfare over 24 hours." Persons who are guilty of leaving loaded wagons on the highway without complying with the above rules, would do well to bear this in mind, as it might save trouble and expense. An obstruction of this kind with out any signals displayed to ward travelers away from it, is liable to cause serious injury and probable death. A compliance with the traffic rules is the plain duty, and the easiest way around.

Into the shadow-land of age each life must go, if the span of years are lengthened sufficiently. There is no means of escaping, or any way round it. It however has its rewards; it takes one along the ways of ripe experience, mellowed thoughts, and the right conception of the duties and responsibilities of life. Along its corridors, hung suspended in baskets of gold and silver, the ripest fruits, the most mature of any to be found. Its every picture is sublime, reflecting back the beauty of yesterday, all combined to make the greatest setting.

Wall street speculators have always been able to get all the money they needed, at a low rate of interest, primarily to speculate in the things which the farmer must raise, and for the successful raising of which, up to this time in many instances, he has not been able as a rule, to borrow money at any old rate percent. It is changing now, in the farmer's favor.

Every year the washing of soil from the hill side farms of this country, robs these farms of inestimable wealth. It is noticed on many of them however, the owners have built up terraces, which protect from washing, and not only prevent the waste, but actually adds to the enrichment of the soil. On as many more of them, the failure to give the land this protection, annually takes a great toll from the farmer.

Many men are as full of ideas as the sun is of shine; practicability in the manner of putting them into effect; there is where the rub comes.

Aided by further investigation, science keeps pushing into the uncharted realms, bringing back health to the faded cheeks, restoring the blind and causing the halt and lame to again function normally. The value of science put into practical application has relieved the world of much sorrow, and brought joy to thousands who were eking out a miserable existence.

In the great army of young life bubbling over with enthusiasm, is housed the units of strength which is to overcome all the hindrances and problems of the future. They are being fortified for the herculean task, by the experience of those of today who are passing.

If Andy Gump, had had a committee of women headed by Min, his wife, say to help check election returns Andy might now be headed to Congress, with a certificate of election in his pocket. As it is all he can do is to hang around newspaper offices and try to say something funny.

Good alone has within it the germ of never ending development. "Error" dies among her worshippers.

A wit who is persona non grata—one who has small regard for dignitaries of questionable dignity.

The Turk is having his troubles just now in an acute way. So is the national bird the turkey; one gets the axe, the other the mandates of the nations which are just now telling him where to get off at.

Hope is the rainbow of life which shines brightest when the darkest clouds gather, and through these the rift of promise is seen with a bright and effulgent light.

Those who sat at bountiful Thanksgiving tables, could thank their stars they were right where they were—provided their digestion was right.

The politicians are probably petitioning that the time may never come again, when they don't know whether to say "wet" or "dry."

If the nations and men who owe debts worried half as much about them as those to whom they are due, all debts would be paid instantly.

One class of people who doubtless feel jealousy toward the radio—the scandal mongers.

Greece is slipping judging from her demands, new war indemnities.

OFFICE CAT



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Doctor—"With care your husband will recover in a week. You don't seem very pleased."

Wife—"You told me he would die a week ago—and I have sold his clothes!"

When the ghosts of the past rise up and join forces with the ghosts of the present a man needs all his optimism.

Modern writers on etiquette say it is all right to eat chicken on the cob with the fingers.

NONSENSE

If I were you, and you were me, What real difference would there be; But if you were me, and I were you, I'd do the things that you would do.

So if you were me, and you were you And you loved me, and I loved you, And we told each other, we both agree, There would be no difference, don't you see.

Now you love me, and I love you. For I am me, and you are you, There is the thing sure to come true We love each other, thru and thru.

So if I get you, and you get me, And you are me and I am you, Then we will happy always be For I am me, and you are you.

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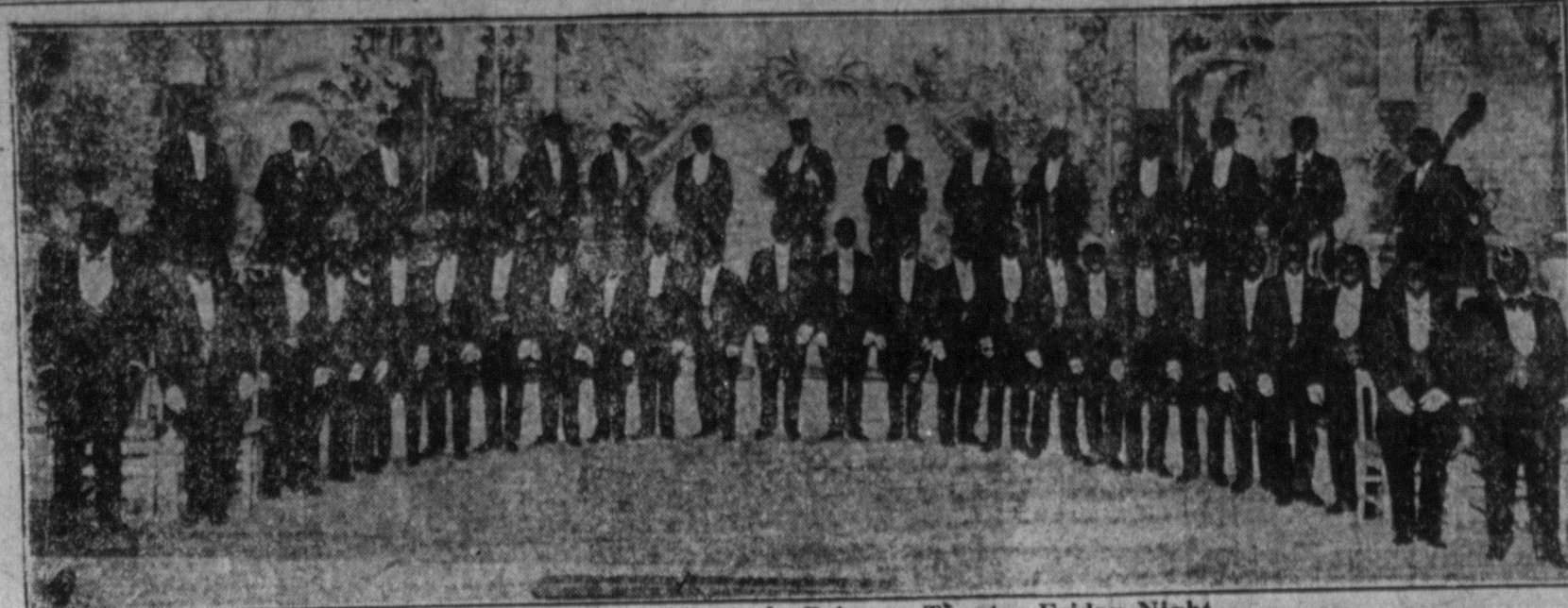
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NEW REX INGRAM PRODUCTION, "TRIFLING WOMEN," COMING SOON.

Discriminating motion picture patrons will soon have an opportunity to witness one of the season's most notable screen successes, the latest production by Rex Ingram, the brilliant director who made "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," "Turn to the Right," "The Conquering Power," and "The Prisoner of Zenda." The new Ingram opus is entitled "Trifling Women," and the name of the director is associated with it in several capacities in addition to that of producer. This photoplay is based on an original story by Mr. Ingram, and it was he who provided the screen adaptation. It comes to the Masonic Theatre on December 14, 15 and 16.

Those who saw "Trifling Women" during its engagement at the Astor Theatre in New York were impressed with the success of the versatile director, when working in an unusual genre. His new photoplay is unlike anything he has done; yet it combines the elements of excellence that have stamped him as one of the hopefuls of the screen. It has the dramatic thrill of "The Four Horsemen"; the romantic beauty of "The Prisoner of Zenda"; and the suspense of "The Conquering Power." It has, too, what each of these photoplays had: remarkable attention to details, supreme good taste and intelligence, and an uncanny gift for pungent characterization.

"Trifling Women" is a story within a story. In order to point a moral to his pleasure loving and frivolous daughter, who ignores a devoted lover, her author-father reads to her the manuscript of his new novel, the story of Zarenda, the crystal gazer. He recounts the woman's terrific fascination, which leads brother to conspire against brother, and father against son. He tells of Zarenda's hold on an old Baron, whose son Ivan, too, shares her favors; of the young man's departure to war; of Baron's death at Zarenda's instigation; of Ivan's return and his discovery that she has married a wealthy Marquis for his money! and finally, of the illicit love of Ivan and Zarenda, costing them their lives in the Sorcerer's Tower.

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Albany Chamber Favors One Body

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"Any Discussion?" Every member present was then polled for his opinion as to the proposed motion.

F. F. Tidwell was called first, but he made his speech after all the others had spoken.

Dr. J. L. Gunter being called, said that in view of the report that harmony had prevailed in the "conference" committee, he was in favor of the adoption of the resolution as read.

Henry Davis next said he was "for the resolution."

L. E. Huey explained his position the purport being that Mr. Huey was willing to let the Albany Chamber of Commerce go on just as it had.

Charles Rountree explained that he had tried to give the question "conscientious consideration" and that he felt that the right thing to do was to proceed with the proposed organization.

Paul Morrison said he was for the resolution.

Dr. Roan said he wished to express no opinion at the present time.

Prof. R. W. Cowart said that in case the business men saw it to the best interests to make one chamber he thought their judgment ought to prevail. Prof. Cowart said that personally he was for the resolution and for "doing away with any possible jealousies."

Dr. Frank Chenault gave general assent to the resolution.

T. L. Beauchamp said he was squarely for the resolution, as did S. H. Malone.

A. H. Hoff said he doubted the wisdom of the resolution.

E. C. Payne was not antagonist to the resolution, but said he saw things much as he had for the past few weeks. Mr. Payne added, that if those who proposed the resolution saw where they could better conditions, he did not wish to be understood as putting anything in the way.

B. L. Malone followed Mr. Payne, and in a lengthy and acceptable speech judging from the generous applause that followed it, explained in detail what he understood was the purport of the resolution, and said he favored its adoption.

Webb-Speake said he thought the resolution was an extraordinary "good thing."

David Perkins said he was for the resolution, as did Hal Mullin. Mr. Mullin added—"I think the plan of the committee is an equitable one."

Brentz E. Preuit stated that until he had heard the resolution, and the discussions on it, he had been inclined to oppose one organization; but that after full consideration of all facts, as he understood them he was heartily in favor of the resolution and would vote for it when the Chairman put it.

Charles H. Eyster gave his judgment in a single sentence "I think it is a move in the right direction."

At the last F. F. Tidwell spoke and said that he had not yet been convinced of the wisdom of the resolution, but he offered no strenuous objection, and when the vote came did not record himself as opposed to the passage of the resolution.

Chairman Matthews, said that as he was a member of the joint committee that proposed the resolution and as the resolution passed the committee unanimously, that it was clear he was for the resolution. When the vote was taken there were none against the resolution.

Plans for Wednesday Night. Following the vote on the resolution some informal plans were made as to a general meeting Wednesday night, all conditioned on the passage of the "Albany-Decatur Chamber of Commerce" resolution by the meeting scheduled for Decatur tonight. Following the prevalence of a motion to adjourn, E. C. Payne, and a number of others including many physicians, discussed the matter of raising funds for the Dr. Murray Benevolent Hospital memorial.

A chart was displayed showing that the cities of Athens, Decatur, Albany and Hartselle would be asked jointly to underwrite enough pledges to assure the erection of the proposed memorial.

The Prize Sincere.
It must be fine to be a radical leader and have nothing to do but say "Sic 'em!"—Baltimore Sun.

FARMER AND WIFE FOUND MURDERED

(Associated Press.)

MIDDLETON, Ind., Dec. 12.—William Shaffers, 35 years old, a farmer, and his wife were found murdered here today. Mrs. Shaffers' head had been cut off, presumably by an axe and Shaffers' head was split open.

The bodies were found by passing farmers.

Mrs. Shaffers' body was found in bed, while that of her husband was found in the barn. A four year old girl, uninjured, but suffering from exposure and lack of food, was unable to give any details of the tragedy.

The couple is believed to have been dead for several days.

Th condition of the house indicated robbery was the probable cause. Neighbors last saw Shaffers at work on his farm last Thursday.

Woman's Identity Now Is Established

(Associated Press.)

CASPER, Wyoming, Dec. 12.—Police authorities have definitely established the identity of the woman held in jail here as Beatrice Craig, of Kirby, Wyoming, Police Captain Clayton said today.

He declared that reports given to newspaper correspondents had partly as their basis a wish of members of the force to hoax the newspaper men. He said the woman would be held pending an investigation into her sanity.

Trace Found of Missing Airplane

(Associated Press.)

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 12.—The plane carrying Colonel Francis Marshall and Lieutenant Wauber, missing army fliers, was last seen late Thursday afternoon between Twin Buttes and the Santa Rita range of Arizona, flying in a easterly direction, with the motor missing badly, according to a message received at headquarters of the first cavalry division from Colonel Winnans, the cavalry who is co-ordinating the work of the San Diego, Fort Bliss and Kelly Field squadrons in the search.



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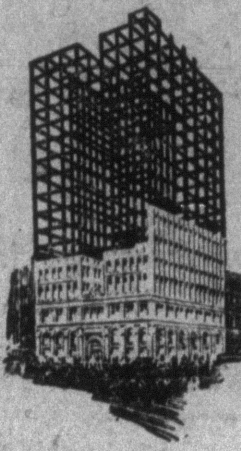
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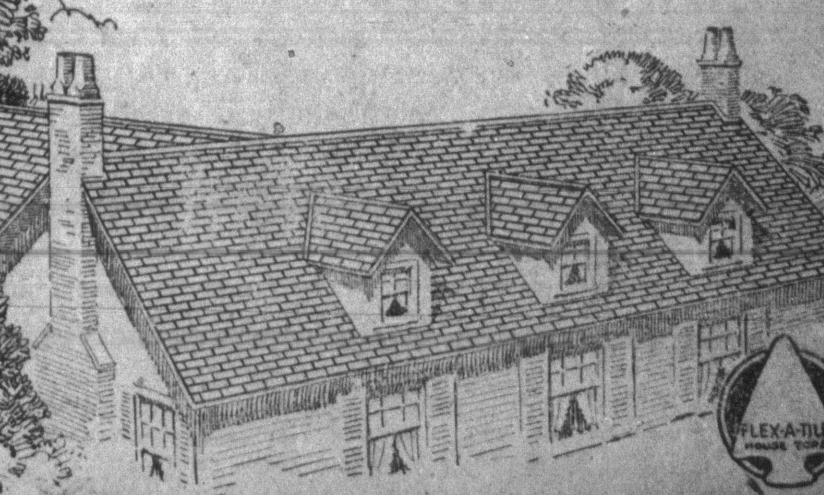
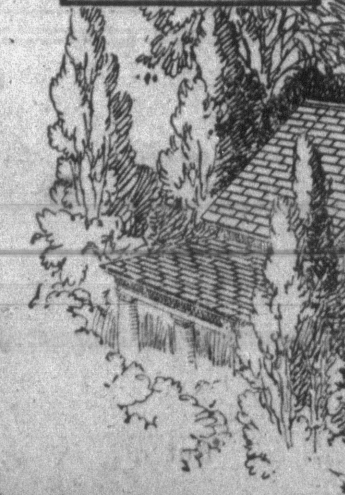
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HAPPINESS, NOT DEPENDENT ON MEANS.

Humanity has ever struggled toward the goal of happiness. It spans the years, and reaches out to the future, and plans are made, purposes resolved, all with the purpose in view of reaching the much coveted pinnacle of happiness, only to realize that with the possession of the things which we thought would bring happiness, is a myth, a castle in the air, a bubble which bursts with the first passing zephyr.

Happiness is a mind faculty, which is not dependent on the mere possession of material things for its full realization. Happiness might then be styled contentment, and this does not imply that one must cease from all endeavors, but on the contrary implies activity in the world's labors, each in their sphere, seeking to put the best effort into the several vocations, and thereby fulfill the very spirit of the creation.

A child is contented with a mere toy; a contentment of the supreme kind. As it grows in years, and knowledge with its enlightening force adds to its powers of enjoyment, other things which are more enduring and far reaching engage its attention, and through the channels of right effort, happiness comes in generous portions.

None can escape the fundamental law of the universe, that those who live and enjoy the blessings of today, must build for those of the future. Then the idea comes that through a life of service the best and highest endeavors are directed; building upon the foundations which others have left; adding to the helpful influences which go to bless those who occupy the earth today, would seem then a good program, and results of which taken in its entirety, is the sum total of the best accomplishments left by those who give way to others.

VERILY THESE TWO MEN HAVE THEIR REWARDS.

Reports from France are to the effect that prize boxing is about to be prohibited. Two sensational occurrences are said to have aroused the French against boxing as a public amusement. Lately an African puglist named Siki has won large sums of money at this trade, and in addition has disgusted the French people with his bad manners. On the heels of this public resentment against Siki, came the news that the great French scientist, Vaillant, had lost his one remaining arm, while experimenting with radium.

The turn of "out-rageous fortune" in favor of the puglist and apparently against the scientist, is said to be a large contributing cause to the present public resentment against prize-fighting.

The public doubtless has not consulted with the maimed and poverty stricken scientist. He is doubtless reasonably content to be armless while his fellow human being, Siki, is able to win vast sums of money with his mighty arms. The French public seems to think that a great injustice is being allowed, when a person like Siki is allowed to follow a trade that nets him millions, while one of their scientists must live in poverty and armless for practicing his profession, therefore it is seriously proposed that prize-fighting be abolished all together. There is a semblance of justice in the proposed action of the French against boxing; but as the lawyers say "a wrong reason is assigned."

Because Siki stands up against a human antagonist and wins money and a certain kind of fame, with no hurt to himself and because a learned man stands up against all powerful nature in an effort to benefit humanity and gets knocked out are two important circumstances, but they do not warrant the taking away of the freedom of Siki to function as he sees fit, and as the public has

been willing for him to act in the past.

The French public wishes to take "snap judgment" on prize fighting.

No doubt the valiant Vaillant would be the last man in France to wish to deprive puglist Siki, of his liberty to make a living any way he desires. The scientist has the applause of the thinking world as he retires from his ring of combat. That is enough for him. He may die in poverty, but he will be rich in appreciation.

Veril, Siki has his two arms and his money rewards, and verily Vaillant has his reward an armless body, and poverty, but would the scientist be willing to exchange personalities and places with Siki the African puglist?

PLAY THE GAME AND NOT JUST WATCH OTHERS.

"A sick body makes a sick mind"; "Play grounds in every community"; "Athletes all", are three of the slogans for the last day's program of Educational week. Despite the many abuses practiced in the name of out-door sports, despite the progress apparently being made toward professionalism in games, it is better to make progress toward more bodily exercise in the open, in a zig-zag, uncertain and in some instances un-sportsmanlike way, than to make no progress at all in that direction. The object of the promoters of more out-door exercise is the securing of better health among all the people. It is truly stated that a well mind cannot exist in a sick body. The last expression "athletes all" must mean that all students and all the people should become athletes.

One thing must happen if all the people develop themselves as they should—they must cease to take their exercise and games through others—by proxy, so to speak. No games can be truly called a national pastime unless more people play at them than is the case with our popular games today. Baseball is played by comparatively a very few people. All that the vast majority get out of the "national game" is pleasurable excitement and lots of fresh air—quite a sufficient toll to justify the existence of baseball. A few more people play in a football game than in baseball, but most of the benefits (and injuries) of this sport are enjoyed by a few people. The same is true of lawn tennis, golf, hunting, and a number of other out-door activities. If a game could be invented—a sort of combination of baseball, tennis, football and golf that all the people could and would play, then we would have a national pastime indeed and in truth. The problem of the schools is to get all the pupils to playing, as well as to watch others play. The problem of the general public, is to get a game or a past-time, that large numbers of the general public will play.

The games of today are "spectacles" rather than sports. It is the purpose of the promoters of school athletics to change all this. They plan to have each child in the several school grades, playing games of their own instead of just watching others play.

HATS ON, OR HATS OFF?

A queer thing to get excited about is the question whether men who chance to ride with totally strange women in elevators should remove their hats or keep them on. Yet a lot of persons do get excited about it. For instance, lately when Mayor Kohler of Cleveland announced that he intended to put up signs requesting men not to remove their hats in elevators, some Chicago hotel manager called him a barbarian.

When one attempts to find a rule to guide one in this serious matter one finds that there is none. In the elevators of most Chicago hotels and some department stores men generally remove their hats if there are women among their fellow passengers. Yet they wear their hats in the presence of women in all other places in department stores. And the same men who remove their hats in hotel and department store elevators never think of doing so in office buildings while riding in elevators half filled with women stenographers or clerks.

What is there about an elevator that should require the removal of the hat? As a matter of fact an elevator is virtually as much a public conveyance as a street car and much cheaper to ride in. Yet men do not remove their hats when women enter street cars. The fact that elevators travel a vertical course while street cars go horizontally hardly account for the difference in the required etiquette.

Undoubtedly Mayor Kohler puts it rather too strongly when he says that "any man who takes off his hat and holds it over his stomach in a crowded elevator takes up too much room and is a public nuisance." But one can easily imagine the probable fate of any rarely polite male who made a practice of taking off his hat to women unknown to him whom he happened to see in street

cars or in any conveyance other than elevators. From the Chicago News.

Along the county highways from time to time can be seen violation of traffic rules, promulgated by the state highway commission. In some instances it is a loaded wagon, left on the highway over night without any signal lights being there to warn motorists and others from the dangers of a collision. The traffic rules provide that "both head and tail lights shall be displayed upon such obstructions left along the highway, and that no obstruction must remain on a thoroughfare over 24 hours." Persons who are guilty of leaving loaded wagons on the highway without complying with the above rules, would do well to bear this in mind, as it might save trouble and expense. An obstruction of this kind with out any signals displayed to ward travelers away from it, is liable to cause serious injury and probable death. A compliance with the traffic rules is the plain duty, and the easiest way around.

Into the shadow-land of age each life must go, if the span of years are lengthened sufficiently. There is no means of escaping, or any way round it. It however has its rewards; it takes one along the ways of ripe experience, mellowed thoughts, and the right conception of the duties and responsibilities of life. Along its corridors, hung suspended in baskets of gold and silver, the ripest fruits, the most mature of any to be found. Its every picture is sublime, reflecting back the beauty of yesterday, all combined to make the greatest setting.

Wall street speculators have always been able to get all the money they needed, at a low rate of interest, primarily to speculate in the things which the farmer must raise, and for the successful raising of which, up to this time in many instances, he has not been able as a rule, to borrow money at any old rate percent. It is changing now, in the farmer's favor.

Every year the washing of soil from the hill side farms of this country, robs these farms of inestimable wealth. It is noticed on many of them however, the owners have built up terraces, which protect from washing, and not only prevent the waste, but actually adds to the enrichment of the soil. On as many more of them, the failure to give the land this protection, annually takes a great toll from the farmer.

Many men are as full of ideas as the sun is of shine; practicability in the manner of putting them into effect; there is where the rub comes.

Aided by further investigation, science keeps pushing into the uncharted realms, bringing back health to the faded cheeks, restoring the blind and causing the halt and lame to again function normally. The value of science put into practical application has relieved the world of much sorrow, and brought joy to thousands who were eking out a miserable existence.

In the great army of young life bubbling over with enthusiasm, is housed the units of strength which is to overcome all the hindrances and problems of the future. They are being fortified for the herculean task, by the experience of those of today who are passing.

If Andy Gump, had had a committee of women headed by Min, his wife, say to help check election returns Andy might now be headed to Congress, with a certificate of election in his pocket. As it is all he can do to hang around newspaper offices and try to say something funny.

Good alone has within it the germ of never ending development. "Error" dies among her worshippers."

A wit who is persona non grata—one who has small regard for dignitaries of questionable dignity.

The Turk is having his troubles just now in an acute way. So is the national bird the turkey; one gets the axe, the other the mandates of the nations which are just now telling him where to get off at.

Hope is the rainbow of life which shines brightest when the darkest clouds gather, and through these the rift of promise is seen with a bright and effulgent light.

Those who sat at bountiful Thanksgiving tables, could thank their stars they were right where they were—provided their digestion was right.

The politicians are probably petitioning that the time may never come again, when they don't know whether to say "wet" or "dry."

If the nations and men who owe debts worried half as much about them as those to whom they are due, all debts would be paid instant.

One class of people who doubtless feel jealousy toward the radio—the scandal mongers.

Greece is slipping judging from her demands, new war indemnities.

OFFICE CAT

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Doctor—"With care your husband will recover in a week. You don't seem very pleased."

Wife—"You told me he would die a week ago—and I have sold his clothes!"

When the ghosts of the past rise up and join forces with the ghosts of the present a man needs all his optimism.

Modern writers on etiquette say it is all right to eat chicken on the cob with the fingers.

NONSENSE.
 If I were you, and you were me, What real difference would there be; But if you were me, and I were you, I'd do the things that you would do.

So if you were me, and you were you And you loved me, and I loved you, And we told each other, we both agree, There would be no difference, don't you see.

Now you love me, and I love you, For I am me, and you are you, There is the thing sure to come true We love each other, thru and thru.

So if I get you, and you get me, And you are me and I am you, Then we will happy always be For I am me, and you are you.

"Look here!" bellowed an irate customer in the general store of Four Corners, "you say you won't sell me a shovel unless I get a permit from the authorities and sign my name in that book. What's the big idea?"

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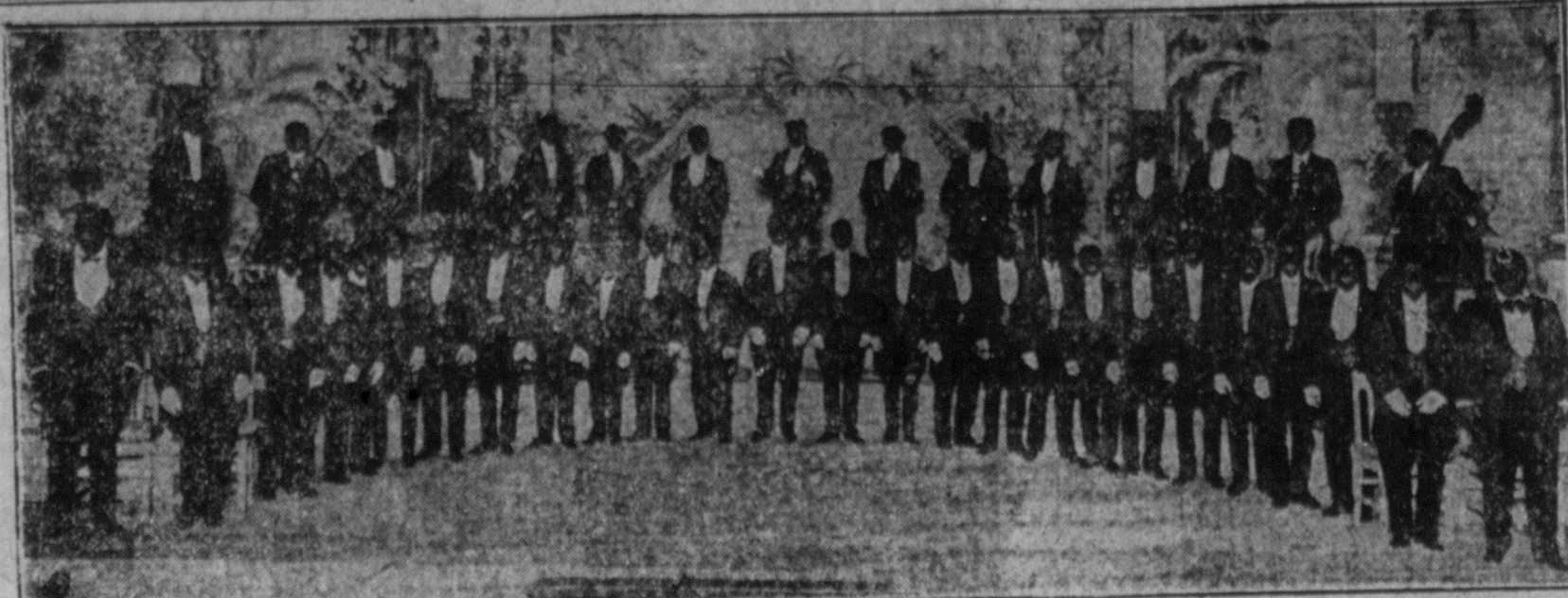
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Banking Houses (16)	90,500.00	Deposits	3,614,261.50
Furniture and Fixtures			
(16)	36,750.00		
Real Estate	8,100.00		
Building Account	802.85		
Cash and due from Banks	1,012,490.20		
	\$3,960,117.81		\$3,980,117.81

Albany Chamber Favors One Body

(Continued from page 1.)

"Any Discussion?" Every member present was then polled for his opinion as to the proposed motion.

F. F. Tidwell was called first, but he made his speech after all the others had spoken.

Dr. J. L. Gunter being called, said that in view of the report that harmony had prevailed in the "conference" committee, he was in favor of the adoption of the resolution as read.

Henry Davis next said he was "for the resolution."

L. E. Huey explained his position the purport being that Mr. Huey was willing to let the Albany Chamber of Commerce go on just as it had.

Charles Rountree explained that he had tried to give the question "conscientious consideration" and that he felt that the right thing to do was to proceed with the proposed organization.

Paul Morrison said he was for the resolution.

Dr. Roan said he wished to express no opinion at the present time.

Prof. R. W. Cowart said that in case the business men saw it to the best interests to make one chamber he thought their judgment ought to prevail. Prof. Cowart said that personally he was for the resolution and for "doing away with any possible jealousies."

Dr. Frank Chenault gave general assent to the resolution.

T. L. Beauchamp said he was squarely for the resolution, as did S. H. Malone.

A. H. Hoff said he doubted the wisdom of the resolution.

E. C. Payne was not antagonist to the resolution, but said he saw things much as he had for the past few weeks. Mr. Payne added, that if those who proposed the resolution saw where they could better conditions, he did not wish to be understood as putting anything in the way.

B. L. Malone followed Mr. Payne, and in a lengthy and acceptable speech judging from the generous applause that followed it, explained in detail what he understood was the purport of the resolution, and said he favored its adoption.

Webb-Speake said he thought the resolution was an extraordinary "good thing."

David Perkins said he was for the resolution, as did Hal Mullin. Mr. Mullin added—"I think the plan of the committee is an equitable one."

Brentz E. Preuit stated that until he had heard the resolution, and the discussions on it, he had been inclined to oppose one organization; but that after full consideration of all facts, as he understood them he was heartily in favor of the resolution and would vote for it when the Chairman put it.

Charles H. Eyster gave his judgment in a single sentence "I think it is a move in the right direction."

At the last F. F. Tidwell spoke and said that he had not yet been convinced of the wisdom of the resolution, but he offered no strenuous objection, and when the vote came did not record himself as opposed to the passage of the resolution.

Chairman Matthews, said that as he was a member of the joint committee that proposed the resolution and as the resolution passed the committee unanimously, that it was clear he was for the resolution. When the vote was taken there were none against the resolution.

Plans for Wednesday Night.

Following the vote on the resolution some informal plans were made as to a general meeting Wednesday night, all conditioned on the passage of the "Albany-Decatur Chamber of Commerce" resolution by the meeting scheduled for Decatur tonight. Following the prevalence of a motion to adjourn, E. C. Payne, and a number of others including many physicians, discussed the matter of raising funds for the Dr. Murray Benevolent Hospital memorial.

A chart was displayed showing that the cities of Athens, Decatur, Albany and Hartselle would be asked jointly to underwrite enough pledges to assure the erection of the proposed memorial.

The Prize Sinecure.
It must be fine to be a radical leader and have nothing to do but say "Sic 'em!"—Baltimore Sun.

FARMER AND WIFE FOUND MURDERED

(Associated Press.)

MIDDLETON, Ind., Dec. 12.—William Shaffers, 35 years old, a farmer, and his wife were found murdered here today. Mrs. Shaffers' head had been cut off, presumably by an axe and Shaffers' head was split open.

The bodies were found by passing farmers.

Mrs. Shaffers' body was found in bed, while that of her husband was found in the barn. A four year old girl, uninjured, but suffering from exposure and lack of food, was unable to give any details of the tragedy.

The couple is believed to have been dead for several days.

The condition of the house indicated robbery was the probable cause. Neighbors last saw Shaffers at work on his farm last Thursday.

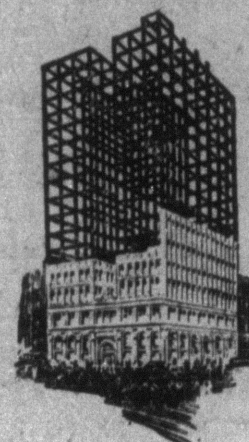
Woman's Identity Now Is Established

(Associated Press.)

CASPER, Wyoming, Dec. 12.—Police authorities have definitely established the identity of the woman held in jail here as Beatrice Craig, of Kirby, Wyoming, Police Captain Clayton said today.

He declared that reports given to newspaper correspondents had partly as their basis a wish of members of the force to hoax the newspaper men. He said the woman would be held pending an investigation into her sanity.

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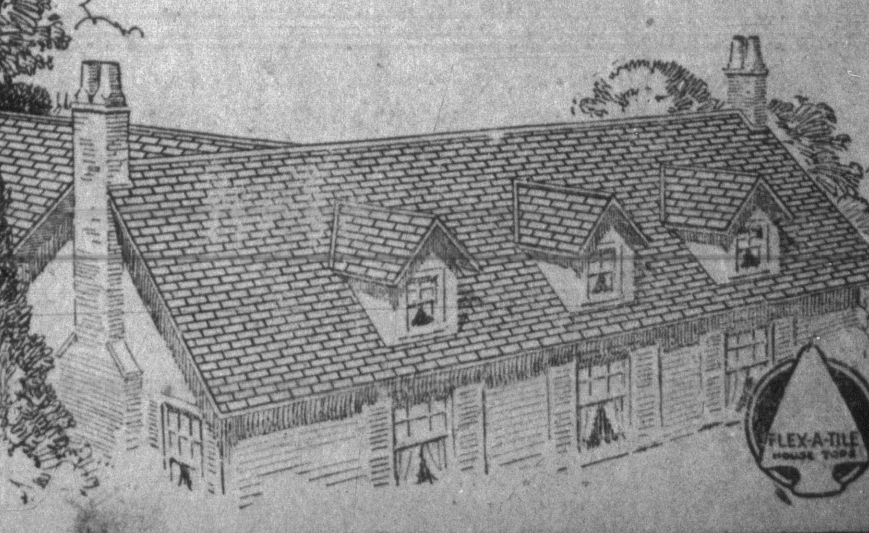
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MESSENGER ROBBED
(Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Four bandits held up a messenger for the Logan Trust and Savings bank today and took \$19,000.

Mexico Recognizes Beauty.
Under the laws of Mexico it is twice as much an offense to mutilate the face of a woman as that of a man. The idea of this is a very sensible one, being based on the fact that to a woman her beauty is a great asset; to men it is therefore a very serious personal injury.

Ship Gave Name to River.
The Columbia river was named after the ship Columbia, whose crew discovered it.

WEATHER.
FOR ALABAMA—Rain this afternoon, followed by generally fair with a cold wave tonight; temperature near freezing on the coast with heavy frost. Wednesday fair and colder.

Mind and Body.
The influence of the mind over the body is great. No sane person can deny that. At the same time, do not go to the extreme of saying "All is mind." We are a combination of mind and body, and the body should be controlled by the mind. "Mens sana in corpore sano."

The Better Position.
He that is taught to live upon little owes more to his father's wisdom than he that has a great deal left him does to his father's care.—William Penn.

SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 352.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Tuesday.

Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club—Mrs. O. C. Parker.
Duplicate Auction Bridge Club—Mrs. F. S. Hunt.

Wednesday.

Wednesday Card Club—Mrs. C. W. Irwin.
Berean Club—3 p. m.—Mrs. F. F. Tidwell.
Entre Nous—Mrs. T. M. Jones, Jr.
Triple Four—7:30 p. m.—Miss K. Alene Day.
Bridge Party—2 p. m.—Mrs. J. W. Knight and Mrs. A. A. Hardage hostesses at Lyons Hotel.

Thursday.

U. D. C.—3 p. m.—Mrs. J. H. McMath.
Christian Womens Union—(Tallant Day)—10 a. m.—Mrs. T. A. Bowles.
Friday Thirteen—Mrs. A. A. Hardage.
Canal Street Rook Club—Mrs. Henderson.
W. C. T. U.—2:30 p. m.—Mrs. H. M. Priest.
Bridge Showers for Miss Miller—2:30 p. m.—Mrs. T. V. Harrison and Mrs. James Johnson.

MRS. HAPPER ENTERTAINED IN COURTLAND.

Mrs. Fred Ashford complimented her daughter, Mrs. C. T. Happer, of Decatur, with a pretty party at her home in Courtland on Saturday afternoon and the home was attractively decorated with chrysanthemums and potted plants.

Bridge was the diversion of the afternoon and the prize for highest score was received by Mrs. Lawrence Godfrey and it was a pretty glazed vase, the low score trophy, candles, went to Mrs. Ussery and the honoree was presented a hand painted card case as a delightful reminder of the afternoon. A lovely salad course was served to those enjoying Mrs. Ashford's hospitality, who were Mesdames Godfrey, Ussery, Mega, Jones, Harris, of Town Creek, Kelly, Shackelford, Hollenbeck, Wann, Lee, of Town Creek, Misses Sherrod, Helen Bynum, Lavinia Chardevoyne, Annie Campbell and Mamie Godman.

THURSDAY CLUB.

The Thursday Club has been postponed, the date of meeting to be announced later.

SMITH-MORROW

A wedding of much interest and a great surprise to their many friends was that of Miss Flora Morrow to Mr. Flemon R. Smith, of Hartselle. They motored to Fayetteville, Tennessee, and were quietly married December 7. On their return home, they will spend a few weeks with the brother of the groom in West Albany.

Mrs. George Wallace will visit friends in Birmingham this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown, Jr., spent yesterday in Nashville on a shopping trip.

Miss Baby Bess Bailey, a reported ill at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Bailey.

Mrs. William Steed, of Trinity, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Walton Hill.

Mrs. S. D. Brock returned yesterday from Asheville, N. C., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Ford.

Miss Jenny Davidson has returned from a week end visit in Birmingham.

Miss Julia Walden has returned from Birmingham where she spent last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones will leave after Christmas to spend four months in Florida.

Mrs. Minnie Draper is convalescent after an attack of grippe.

Miss Winifred Sentiff is now assisting in the office of the circuit clerk, in the compilation of the records.

The continued improvement of Mrs. Elizabeth Transue, after a long period of illness, is good news to her many friends.

Mrs. A. C. Stott, of Chattanooga, Tenn., will arrive next week to spend the Xmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Brock.

Mrs. J. W. Knight will be hostess to the Friday Thirteen this week on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. L. W. Ellner was called to Nashville, Tenn., by the serious illness of her brother-in-law, J. Rhodenheiser.

Mrs. R. E. Ford, nee Nell Brock, who left recently for Asheville, N. C. in search of health, is doing splendidly.

The Married Ladies Bridge Club will meet this week on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. B. P. Wallace.

Miss Pearl Haynes and her brother, J. E. Haynes, moved on Monday to their home on East Vine Street.

Miss Lavinia Chardevoyne, of Courtland, is the guest of Mrs. C. T. Happer.

Mrs. Stanley Greene, of Birmingham, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. S. Barry, in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Odom, of Birmingham, are the guests of friends in Decatur this week.

PERSONALS

W. A. George, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Minor.

Barton Bartoe, popular salesman, has been ill at his home here several days.

Clyde Sharpe, Jr., of Tuscaloosa, a student in the University, is here on a short visit.

Dr. R. M. South, of Hartselle, is in the city today, doing business at the tax office.

The Young People's Missionary Society of the Central Methodist church will meet Wednesday at 3:30 o'clock with Miss Velma Tranquon, on Johnston street, with Miss Ruth Weaver as hostess.

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Captain Raymond Brown is able to be out after a three weeks illness.

A. P. Dewberry, of Birmingham, was here yesterday on business.

Little Maye Jane Keyes is improving after a weeks illness.

Charles H. Eyster returned from Birmingham last night, where he went in regard to the confirmation of the sale of the local traction company. Judge Grubb, was absent from the

city, in Clarkdale, Miss. yesterday so the hearing to have been held before him, will be continued until next Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

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Jackson County Lad Refused Parole On Murder Charge By Gov. Kilby

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 12.—Tyrus Lawson of Jackson county, who was eighteen years old when he was convicted of second degree murder in 1916, will not be given his liberty on parole by Governor Kilby. The governor today refused to grant executive clemency, holding that he could find no sufficient reason for disturbing the finding of the jury and the sentence of the court.

Prominent citizens of North Alabama and Tennessee became interested in Lawson's case and appeared before the board of pardons and the governor in his behalf. Lawson, although coming to prison three years before he reached legal age, has made an excellent record. However, Governor Kilby considered the evidence submitted at his trial and reached the conclusion that circumstances surrounding the case were sufficient to warrant the imposition of the sentence and he announced that he did not feel the executive should upset the decision of the Jackson circuit court.

A white man disappeared from Jackson county. The last time he was seen alive he was being followed by Lawson. Lawson carried a gun. Late the body was found not far from the point where he was last seen. Lawson, according to the evidence, had sought to cash certain checks signed by the man, checks declared to be forgeries. The state theory was that Lawson killed the man in order to prevent his appearance against him in court on the forgery charge.

In reaching the decision that a parole should not be issued at this time, Governor Kilby said: "This boy, eighteen years of age the time of conviction, was convicted of murder in the second degree.

"I have read the file very carefully as well as the transcript of evidence in the court of appeals. The evidence showed the boy to be of very bad character, having been arrested on numerous occasions for forgery, burglary and gambling.

"The evidence of the state witnesses showed that he followed the man with a gun and dog to Glover Bottom which was the meeting place of bootleggers, gamblers and lewd women, and that he was seen to return from the swamp about an hour later. The body of the dead man was found several months later with a bullet hole in the back of his skull. A few days after his disappearance the defendant was arrested for forgery. Checks drawn against the account of the dead man were produced in court, endorsed by the defendant. This circumstance convinced the jury that the boy had committed the murder, the motive being to protect himself against the charge of forgery. The fact that the jury imposed a penalty of only twelve years would indicate, perhaps some doubt in the minds of the jury as to the boy's guilt. On the other hand, the light sentence may have been given in consideration of the youth of the defendant. There is no means of determining what was in the minds of the jury.

"After a careful consideration of the entire file and the evidence in the case, my opinion is that sufficient reason has not been given for disturbing the finding of the jury and the sentences of the court. Clemency, therefore, is denied."

RE-ELECT CLOPTON TO HIGH OFFICE

At its annual meeting in New Orleans just closed, the Southern Ice Cream Manufacturer's Association, the second largest concern of its kind in the world, reelected J. W. Clopton, as its Secretary-Treasurer. This makes the fourth consecutive time Mr. Clopton has been elected to that important position.

This action speaks for itself as to the ability and progressive spirit of Mr. Clopton as recognized by his business associates. He was active in the organization and development of the organization, and it is fitting that his services should be thus so signally recognized. It is a compliment to this community, that one of its citizens should be so honored abroad.

ANOTHER "MOTHER" ROLE FOR MARY ALDEN.

Delite Wednesday.

Mary Alden, who gained immediate recognition as a past mistress of the art of screen acting by her "mother" characterization in "The Old Nest," a Goldwyn picture, has repeated herself in "The Man With Two Mothers," also a Goldwyn production coming to the Delite theatre Wednesday.

This statement does not mean that she plays both the mothers, however. What it does mean is that as the quaint old Irish mother of, Cullen Landis in this comedy, her artistry can only be gauged by a comparison with her work in "The Old Nest."

Her "mother" in "The Man With Two Mothers" is totally different from that in "The Old Nest," but it has been acted with the same attention to detail and truthfulness. adv.

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DID YOU KNOW

Legal Holidays 1923.

April 26—Memorial Day; in Alabama, Georgia, Florida and Miss.

May 10—Memorial Day; in N. C. and S. C.

May 12—Memorial Day; in Tennessee.

May 20—Memorial Day; in Independence, in N. C.

May 30—Decoration Day; in all states and territories except Ala., Ark., Fla., Ga., La., Miss., N. C., S. C. and Texas.

May 30—Memorial Day; in Virginia.

June 3—Jeff Davis Birthday; in Ala., Fla., Ga., La., Miss., Tenn., Tex. and S. C.

June 11—Kamehameha Day; in Hawaii.

June 15—Pioneers' Day; in Idaho. July 4—Independence Day; in all states and territories.

July 10—Admission Day, in Wyoming.

July 24—Pioneers' Day; in Utah.

July 25—Landing American Troops; in Porto Rico.

August 1—Colorado Day; in Colorado.

August 26—Bennington Battle Day; in Vermont.

September 3—Labor day in all states and territories.

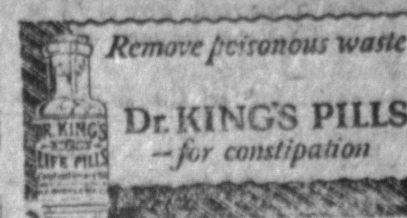
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GUS HILL'S AND HONEY BOY EVANS MINSTREL.

Princess Friday Night, Dec. 15th.

The unusual spectacle of two great minstrel shows in one will be the next attraction at the Princess theatre commencing Friday night, Dec. 15, with the usual matinees. The organization is known as The Gus Hill and George Evans Honey Boy Minstrels, being the culmination of a recent deal which already has created one of the sensations of the theatrical world. Mr. Hill's Minstrel Troupe has been before the public for many seasons. It has enjoyed exceptional popularity and was one of the outstanding money makers on the road. In order to make it the foremost aggregation of its kind Mr. Hill bought out the Evans interests and the rest is theatrical history. Forty gifted geniuses of Ethiopian comedy, song, revelry, frolic, fun, laughter and mirth have been mustered. The entertainment runs the gauntlet of everything that is produc-

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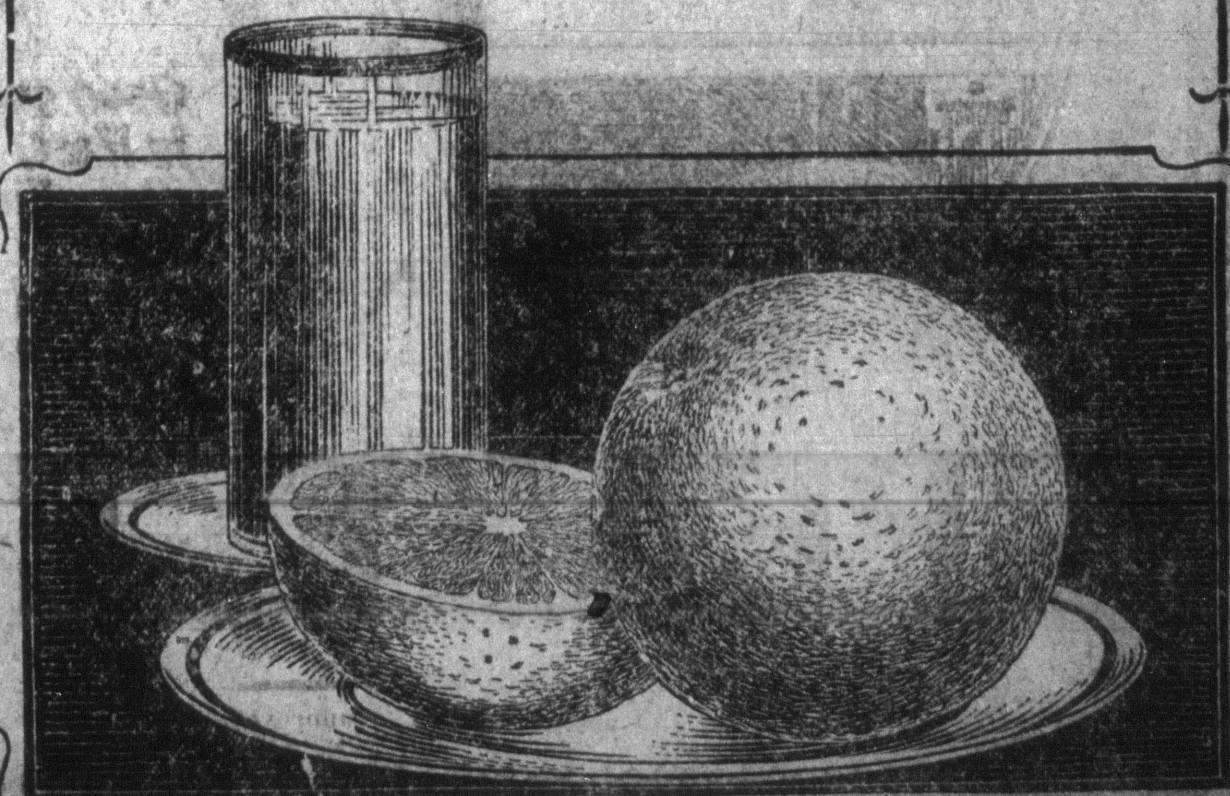
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NEWS OF MOULTON AND LAWRENCE COUNTY

MOULTON, Ala., Dec. 12.—(Spe- life sentence was rendered by the jury.)—After twenty-four hours in the twelve men who sat on the Emmett jury room, a verdict of guilty and Collier case last week in the circuit

court at Moulton; the decision was not rendered until after court adjourned Saturday. For almost two years Emmett Collier and his brother have been lodged in the county jail for alleged murder of John Tyler, an aged citizen living between Wheeler and Moulton. Tyler was called out about daylight one morning and asked the way to a neighbor's; he went to

the porch to give directions and was suddenly shot and killed immediately. Large'y on the evidence of a little girl who could see the two men at the gate, the Collier brothers were arrested, after an earlier trial the men were released and one Turner who was said to be with them fled. Further evidence caused the arrest of the men again about a year ago, but for various reasons the trial has been postponed. Trial for the younger Collier will be postponed, it is said Emmett will take an appeal.

In the past week two schools in Lawrence county, Mount Moriah and Salem, were closed on account of the "flu"; Masterson, Caddo, Mount Zion, and Loosier had very small attendance for the same reason; other districts in the county are so far free from the epidemic that is prevailing in a line to the northeast and the northwest of Moulton; several deaths in part due to the flu and part to pneumonia are reported.

Judge O. Kyle and Solicitor D. C. Almon of Albany have been holding a circuit court in Moulton that will long be well remembered by the violators of the law; a petit jury as well as a grand jury of determined citizens have been assisting well; convictions have been the rule; characteristic of the work were the words of D. C. Almon when he told the jury before whom the case of an illicit distiller had been tried, "I cannot convict this man; I may do all that I can in securing evidence, the verdict must be rendered by you; if you wish to let it go out over this county that a wild-catter can bring his wife and

baby here and get freedom then they will do so; if you want the hills and hollows of Lawrence county to flow with whiskey and your boys to be diet of guilty.

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